

# 2016-2017 IMPACT REPORT

Robert Morris University's Women's Leadership and Mentorship Program (WLMP) seeks to attract, retain and empower women students so they can achieve leadership roles both at RMU and in their lives after graduation.



WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP AND MENTORSHIP PROGRAM



Multidisciplinary — Engaged — High Achieving



97%

Involvement in campus organizations



54%

In executive leadership positions

I love constantly feeling supported and encouraged by other women.

**WHAT:** Developing women leaders through high-impact workshops, events, book clubs, and global education.

There are so many great opportunities that I would never have been able to do if I wasn't in the WLMP.

## 2017 Women and Transformational Leadership Symposium

Keynote Address by Candi Castleberry Singleton, VP of Inclusion & Diversity at Twitter



WLMP supported 13 students to study abroad in 2016-2017

## SKILL BUILDING WORKSHOPS

- Uncovering Blind Spots & Maximizing Your Leadership Potential
- Fail is not a four letter word!
- Vision Boarding: A Creative Way to Bring Your Personal Goals to Life

96% of students report using what they learned from skill building workshops

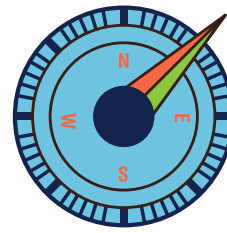
I have never left a WLMP sponsored event without a renewed sense of empowerment and motivation to go out and make a difference in the world.

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# MENTORING MATTERS:



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There's always someone to reach out to for help, networking, or connecting.

## Students say...

91.4%

I heard about the successful careers of others in related fields through the WLMP.

87.1%

I experienced someone in the WLMP going out of her way to promote my career.

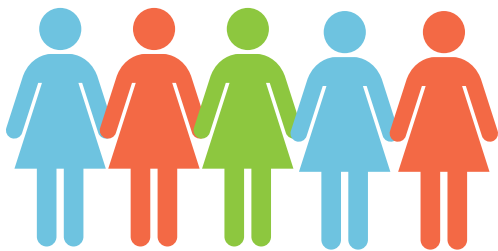
94.6%

I learned from a role model within the WLMP.

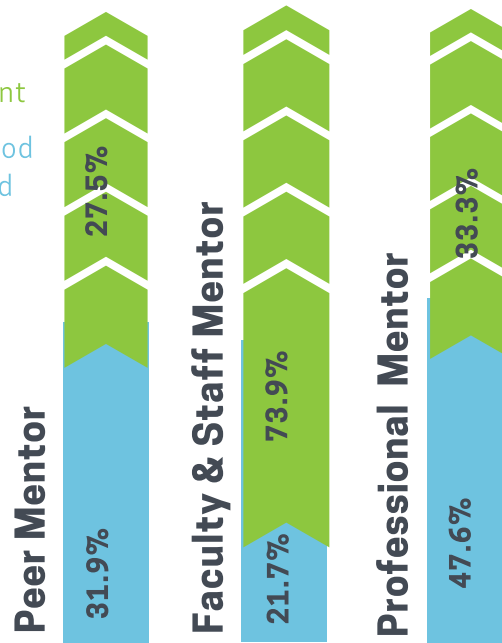
I enjoyed having mentors and people there to help guide me...it was comforting to have my mentors to help me get through the year.

## Support from WLMP Mentors:

It was nice to feel surrounded by a community of strong, supportive women.



■ Excellent  
■ Very Good or Good



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## What's happening in 2017-2018:

- Greater interest: WLMP applications increased 155% in 2017.
- Highly competitive: 11% acceptance rate for WLMP Cohort 4
- 27 WLMP Professional Mentors will guide upper-class students as they graduate and enter their fields.
- **SAVE THE DATE:** Christy Uffelmann, Partner at Align Leadership, will deliver the keynote address at the 2018 Women and Transformational Leadership Symposium on January 11, 2018